



## Hotel Woodward

Located on Broadway, at the corner of Fifty-fifth Street, with entrances on both streets, the Hotel Woodward offers to a discriminating public a trio of advantages that it would be difficult to duplicate even in New York, the city of vast hotels and enormous apartment houses. The Hotel Woodward combines convenience, luxury and home comfort in a remarkable degree, and commends itself more particularly to people of refined tastes who desire to locate—either temporarily or for a lengthened period—within easy reach of the shopping, social and dramatic centres, in a quiet neighborhood, with entire freedom from the conspicuousness attendant upon living in the strictly transient hotels.

### Convenience

The Hotel Woodward, at Fifty-fifth Street and Broadway, is less than a half mile from Times Square, New York's newest social centre; is directly upon the city's most famous thoroughfare; in the heart of the automobile district; is surrounded by public transportation facilities of every character, yet is not so close to any of them that the noise of traffic is either troublesome or noticeable.

### Fireproof

As to the safety of this hotel's construction and equipment, it is enough to say that the Board of Fire Underwriters has assigned it the lowest insurance rate of any New York hotel.

### Comfort

The private apartments of the Hotel Woodward are ideal. There are conveniently arranged suites and single rooms, neatly and perfectly fitted up and furnished, attached to which are the finest private bathrooms in New York. In the annex there are suites for housekeeping, and these are let furnished or unfurnished, as desired. The management of the Hotel Woodward makes its strongest claim, however, in its care for the personal welfare of its patrons. Intelligent discrimination secures to

it a select and exclusive patronage, and the moral atmosphere of the hotel is invariably of the highest standard. There will never be found any features that can possibly offend.

### Luxury

The Hotel Woodward is entirely new and is modern in every detail. The four hundred rooms in the hotel and its annex are perfectly equipped and luxuriously furnished. Every care and every attention that can contribute to the enjoyment of guests is at their instant disposal day and night.

T. D. GREEN, Manager.  
L. H. BINGHAM, Asst. Manager.

UNDER THE SAME MANAGEMENT,

### The Colonia

This beautiful new resort hotel is located in the residential section of Columbia, S. C., where its stucco walls and red tile roofs are set off by the picturesque mansions and majestic trees of the quaint and historic Southern capital. It is the most modern example of hotel construction. The temperature here is uniformly mild; the dry, pine-scented air is invigorating. Outdoor amusements include riding and driving on excellent roads, golf, shooting on private preserves, tennis, fox-hunting, etc.

Address The Colonia, Columbia, S. C., or New York booking office, Hotel Woodward.

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may be enjoyed at this delightful resort, be it boating, bathing, golf, driving or fishing. The river is especially adaptable to rowing or canoeing, and frequent canoe races help to enliven the summer life here.

#### Lake Champlain, N. Y.

Lake Champlain lies between New York and Vermont, and extends from Whitehall, in the former State, to St. Johns, in Canada. It is 120 miles long, and varies in width from forty rods to over two miles. The shores are very irregular, being indented by numerous bays. There are upwards of fifty islands scattered over its surface.

This lake, filling a valley enclosed by high mountains, is celebrated for its magnificent scenery. To the east stretch out the Green Mountains of Vermont; to the west the Adirondacks of New York. These mountains do not come down to the water's edge, as they do on Lake George, but there is a charming stretch of champagne country on either side of the lake.

Its waters flow by the Richelleu or Sorel River into the St. Lawrence from the northern end. Numerous small streams empty into the lake from both sides. The waters of the lake abound in bass, pickerel, muscalonge and other varieties of fish.

#### Buzzard's Bay and Cape Cod, Mass.

To those in search of a quiet summer amidst charming marine and bucolic surroundings, this region lying southeast of Boston particularly commends itself. The natural scenery is delightful, and one finds the most charming hospitality amongst the hotel and cottage keepers.

Buzzard's Bay, around which are a cluster of summer resorts, affords the finest facilities for boating and fishing in New England. And the summer climate is particularly equable, the warm heat of midsummer being neutralized by the cool breezes from the ocean.

#### Cape May, N. J.

Cape May has come to its own! The magnificent improvements, by which a large tract of salt meadows has been reclaimed, are practically completed, and the climax of this great undertaking has been capped by the beginning of the government work on the deep water entrance channel between the harbor and the ocean, which stamps it with national recognition as a harbor of refuge.

These two powerful forces have brought into being a new Cape May, which will undoubtedly take rank as the leader of American seaside resorts.

The witchery that clings to old Cape May is as enticing as ever, but there is a new note in its claim to popular favor in the progressive spirit that animates the new Cape May.

The same home-like quiet prevades the cottage life, the same social atmosphere is manifest in the hotels, and the same absence of display in dress and function, yet there is an awakening to, and a new appreciation of, the splendid advantages of the old resort.

#### Catskill Mountains, N. Y.

As a summering place the Catskills are growing more in favor every season. Among the hills and hollows immortalized by Irving, the spots rendered almost sacred by association with Rip Van Winkle, the summer tourist may find an ideal resting place.

#### Clifton Springs, N. Y.

Clifton Springs is situated in Ontario County, about fifteen miles from Canandaigua, and about thirteen miles from Geneva. It is within easy reach of Seneca Lake, Watkins Glen and other pleasant places of this region, and is known throughout the country through the purity of its waters, which have proved efficacious in many seemingly hopeless cases.

#### Kennebunkport, Me.

Lake most of the maritime towns of New England, Kennebunkport is picturesque in antique houses and abandoned wharves. The Kennebunk River is a pretty stream, and well worth exploring. A magnificent water view, limited only by Cape Porpoise on the north and Cape Neddick on the south, is outspread from Ocean Bluffs.

On a clear day the Isles of Shoals, far to the southward and the White Mountains, seventy miles inland, are plainly visible. The well-known qualities which have made the climate of Eastern Maine very popular with health and pleasure seekers are manifest at Kennebunkport. About every outdoor amusement known to active Americans

#### Eagles Mere, Pa.

Eagles Mere, situated 2,200 feet above sea level, has become one of the most popular resorts in Pennsylvania. The climate is unsurpassed, and the pure, cool, invigorating mountain air, free from dampness, insures health to the sick and renewed energy to the weary. The beautiful "Lake of the Eagles," embedded like a brilliant cascade among the virgin forests of Northern Pennsylvania, is a mile and a half long and one mile wide, and in many places sixty feet deep. The water is as clear as a crystal, and there are wonderful opportunities for boating and bathing. Here on the mountain top, surrounded by primeval growth, is bathing that is unequalled. With water of an even temperature, varying only between seventy and seventy-five degrees in July and August, with an abundance of deep water by a clean, gently-sloping white sand beach, there is nothing missed but the shock of the surf, and this is more than made up by the water itself, giving exhilaration without danger.

#### French Lick Springs, Ind.

This resort antedates the history of the State of Indiana by many years, and its beginning is almost contemporaneous with the French settlement of old Vincennes, when first these springs received mention for their wonderful saline deposit. They were then resorts for deer and buffalo, coming in great herds from the forests to "lick" of the salty waters. It is from this fact and the early French settlement that the name "French Lick" had its origin. The springs issue in a valley crisscrossed by the knobs of the Cumberland Mountains, delightfully located, with unsurpassed views, surrounded by 575 acres of beautifully shaded lawn, hillside and top.

#### Lake Sunapee, N. H.

Lake Sunapee nestles among the hills of Sullivan and Merrimack counties, N. H., 109 miles from Boston. The lake is about ten miles long, indented with antebay bays and coves, and ranges from one-half to three miles wide. Sunapee, Newbury, New London and other towns and settlements are located on its shores, the distinctive characteristics of each being brought into touch with the other by the busy little steamboats which ply from landing to landing.

#### Long Branch, N. J.

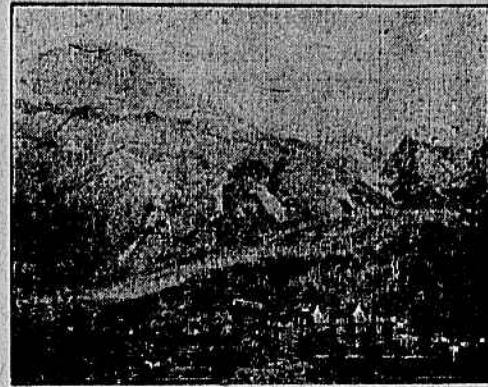
Long Branch, one of the oldest resorts on the New Jersey coast, still retains a large clientele despite the growth and multiplicity of summering

## The Great Alaska-Yukon Exposition

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places in its immediate neighborhood. Incorporated some years ago as a city, it has become rejuvenated into a delightful modern seashore resort, embracing within the municipal boundaries Elberton, West End, Hollywood, Narwood, North Long Branch, East Long Branch, Pleasure Bay and Branchport.

#### Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass.

This popular resort, lying within what is known as the Beverly region, presents the best features for summer enjoyment to be found anywhere on the New England coast. The seven miles of shore line near Manchester are broken in the most fantastic and irregular way by coves and inlets, and by the alternation of hill and plain, cliff and sandy beach. Out in front are hundreds of islets, some mere rock points rising above the breakers, others of good size. Magnificent private cottages line the shores, in addition to the well known hostels which open their doors to the summer guest.

#### Marblehead, Mass.

Marblehead is a quaint old fishing town. The docks and fishing boats are just such as have been so often described in stories of the life of the New England fishermen. The town is decidedly primitive in character and ways, though in that section known as the Neck there are many beautiful and costly summer residences, where fashion and society reign supreme. The two most widely known yachting clubs of New England, the Corinthian and Eastern Yacht, have stately houses at the Neck.

#### Mohawk Lake, N. Y.

At an altitude of 1,200 feet above the Hudson, in a deep, rocky recess of the mountain, lies Lake Mohawk, one of the most beautiful of highland lakes. It is about three-quarters of a mile long, deep, clear and surrounded by overhanging precipices. The whole mountain is a vast tumble of rock piled in fantastic confusion and seamed with deep ravines and dark chasms. Thick clumps of laurel and pine relieve the gray monotony and render the mountain side a picture of rugged beauty.

#### Montreal, Can.

All the attractions of a summer resort lie in and about Montreal. Situated on an island at the confluence of the St. Lawrence and Ottawa Rivers, its summer temperature makes it one of the few cities of the larger size in which people may live with comfort during the warmer months. It is a city of trees, of parks and of pleasant drives, with a great river sweeping its front. Massive business blocks and costly buildings and residences contrast with gray old churches, sombre convents, and houses whose origin is shrouded in mystery.

From the mountain from which the city takes its name, there are rarely beautiful views. The city, spread out at the beholder's feet, the wide valley of the St. Lawrence stretching away to the sea, the peaks of Beloeil, rising abruptly from the plain, and in the far distance the Green Mountains of Vermont, only distinguished on a clear day, form a glorious panorama. This mountain may be ascended in carriages or by an inclined railway.

#### The Muskoka Lakes.

Of the resorts among the highlands, the Muskoka Lake region is the best known. The total area of the region embraces 300 lakes and rivers, of which three of the largest, Lake Muskoka, Lake Joseph and Lake Rosseau, compose the Muskoka Lakes district proper. These three lakes are connected and form a continuous steamboat route of more than fifty miles. The shores are thickly wooded with balsam firs, and are studded with heavily wooded islands. A number of streams feed these lakes, nearly all of which are navigable for small boats, and afford the finest sort of fishing.

#### Thousand Islands and Upper St. Lawrence River.

This healthful and picturesque region includes the upper waters of the grand St. Lawrence River, from the eastern end of Lake Ontario to the vicinity of Ogdensburg, N. Y., a distance of about fifty miles. The river within this reach varies in width from one to twelve miles, the average being about six miles. Within this space are nearly 1,800 islands, some mere rocks peeping above the current, others containing many square miles of farms and groves. The myriad rugged isles, crowned by native forests and threaded by hundreds of lovely and winding channels, present a scene of wonderful beauty. For fifty years this region has been famed as an ideal fishing resort. It has long since gained a greater fame for its many almost princely summer homes and abundant facilities for summer enjoyments of various kinds.

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Throughout this section are scores of hotels that rank with the great metropolitan caravansaries in appointments, among which space permits mention of only the Fort William Henry Hotel, at Lake George, and the Hotel Champlain, which stand, respectively, at the southern and the northeastern portals of the Adirondack region.

Prices for board, dates of opening and closing, and many other interesting details regarding more than 600 summer hotels and 1,000 boarding-houses located in this northern resort section are supplied gratis in our descriptive illustrated guide-mailed to any address for 2c postage.

Generally speaking, it may be stated that while prices vary greatly, they are nowhere excessive. Accommodations are obtainable at rates as low as \$25.00 per week, and at smaller hotels and boarding-houses the rates are as low as \$8.00 per week.

Adirondack waters, especially Lake George and Lake Champlain, with their forest tributaries and the many branches of the Hudson River, offer great opportunities for anglers. Trout fishing season on Lake George opens May 1st, when the steamer Hamilton is put in commission. Bass, pike and pickerel fishing on Lake Champlain is unrestricted. The lakes and streams west of Chazy and Chateaugay Lakes are annually stocked by the State, and are full of brook trout, which may be legally caught May 1st to August 31st.

The D. & H., the shortest, quickest and best line to Montreal, maintains the highest standard of train service to Canada, to Lake George and to the Adirondacks.

The service to AuSable Chasm is also arranged conveniently for tourists. The season for visiting this wonderful natural attraction begins about June 25th.

Full summer train and steamboat schedules will be effective toward the end of June. Schedules and booklets can also be obtained at office of Richmond Transfer Co., Richmond, Va.

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Albany, N. Y.



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